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(SUBJECT.)

Copy of S.Kanara Collector's Proceedings D.Dis. 4147-36 d/ 25-8-36.

Sub:- Military encamping grounds - Registration as porambooke - orders issued.

Circular.

Tahsildars and Dy. Tahsildars are directed to register all military encamping grounds in their respective taluks and sub-taluks as "Military encamping ground poramboke". If these lands are registered as "assessed waste" all entries about taram, rate of assessment etc in the adangals and other accounts against such lands should be removed altogether. All military encamping grounds should be registered only as porambokes.

Sd. For Collector.

To the Tahsildars and Dy. Tahsildars.

Copy to the R.D.Os.

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Copy of letter from the Collr. S.Kanara , Ref.B.5-2410/38 d/ 1-11-38, to the Secy. to the Bd. of Rev.

Sir,

Transfer- Land- Mangalore Tk. - Panambur vge- S.Nos. 47/1A2 and 50/2 - Poramboke military camping ground to poramboke road- proposal - further report-

Ref:- Bd's Ref. E.4648/38-1 d/ 27-9-38

S.Nos. 47/1A and 50 and some other fields of Panambur vge stood registered at the last Settlement as Assessed waste dry and shown as reserved for 'Military camping ground'. Subsequently these lands were ordered by the Collr. in his proceedings D.Dis. 4147/36 d/ 25-8-36 to be transferred to porambokes. The two plots were thus transferred to 'Military Camping ground poramboke' under Revenue Divisional Officer's sanction. The plots now stand classed as poramboke with the remark 'Military camping ground' in the remarks column of the A. register. None of the plots stand registered as grazing ground poramboke, as is seen from the present report of the Tahsildar.

2. As already reported in my letter R.Dis. 5799-37 d/ 2-11-37 quoted in the Board's reference, there are no military lands in this district. The camping grounds which exist in this district are the camping grounds which vest in the Provincilal Govt and I am issuing orders to the Tahsildars that all such lands should be registered as ' camping grounds (vesting in the Provl. Govt.)' as since ordered in B.P. No. 2855 Mis. d/ 13-10-38 .

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SUBJECT :— Land - (S. Kanara) - Military Camping grounds - Registry in the Revenue accounts - Alteration - Instruction - Issued

READ AGAIN B.P. No 2853 dy, dated 13.10.38 19____.

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READ *ALSO* :—

No. ____ From the ____ No. ____, dated ____ 19____.

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~~Order~~ Resolution ~~Rout.~~ (Ms.) No. 67, dated 6.1.1939.

In his Proceedings

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D. Dis. 4147/36 dy, 25.8.36 the Coll of S. Kanara directed the Tahsildars ~~issued instructions~~ to Dy Tahsildars to register all military encamping grounds in their respective talukas & sub-talukas as "Military encamping ground poramboke". This order did not take account of the fact that the Tahsildars are not empowered to change the classifications of land & that when acting under the general orders to change they should send reports in proper forms

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to the R.D.O. In his letter Ref B.S 2410/388 dt 1.11.38 the Coll of S.Kanara has reported that he has issued instructions to his Tahsildars that all lands registered as military Camping grounds should be corrected as Camping ground vesting in the Govt. with ref. to the instructions issued in the B.P cited above. The Coll is requested to see that the changes in the registry of the classifications of lands in the vge accounts are done systematically by the R.D.Os and to get Complete reports from each of them.

15.12.38

To the Coll of S.Kanara

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The order by the Collr. d/ 25-8-36 in his D.Dis 4147/36 is not in accordance with B.S.O.15-2 for only the R.D.O. can order change of classification from assessed to poramboke. If the Collrs. of S.Kanara have been in the habit of issuing such orders there is no knowing what is military camping ground and what is not. Ask Joint Secretary to examine this with a view to getting the A registers of the district right.

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(Id) F.W.S.
1-11-38.

Note by B.Section.

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As regards the entries in the A registers, it is subd. that in B.P. No. 106, Press d/ 1-10-37, instructions were issued to Collectors that only lands accepted by the Govt. of Madras as belonging to the Central Govt. (Defence Deptt) should be registered in the village accounts as "Military land" with particulars like "Rifle range " etc. in B.P.

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B.P. No. 2855 Mis. d/ 13-10-38 Collrs. were instructed that in the case of lands vesting in the Provl. Govt. and entered in the village accounts as "Military camping ground" the entry should be altered as camping ground(vesting in the Provincial government.). In another connection the Collr. of S. Kanara has reported that he has issued instructions to his Tahsildars that all lands registered as military camping grounds should be corrected as ~~mmxing~~ camping ground vesting in the Provincial Govt. with ref. to the B.P. at (L). These instructions will, it is subd., set right the entries in the 'A' register.

Mx M 1 will be visiting Mangalore shortly. He may perhaps discuss this question with the Collector.

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Id. C.S. 10-11-38
M.S. 12-11-38.
A.K.N. 16-11-38
M.S. 16-11-38.

(Id) M.A.

(Id) D.I.R.M.

To Rao Bahadur M.V.Vellodi U.O.

2. The question is whether the changes in classification are being done by the correct authorities. Your predecessor's order D.Dis. 4147/36 d/25-8-36 did not take account of the fact that the Tahsildars are not empowered to change the classifications of land ~~xx~~ and that when acting under a general order to change they should send reports in proper forms to the R.D.O. Your letter to the Board Ref.B. 5 2410-38 d/ 1-11-38 indicates that re-classification was in progress but it does not say that the proper authorities are passing orders in individual cases. There is no reason why it should. But it leaves it in doubt as to whether your predecessor's order has been corrected.

(Sd) F.W.Stewart. 27-11-38

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No. Mr. Humayun's orders have not been corrected. If the B.S.O is to be strictly followed notice of the change of classification and an order by the R.D.O in each case is necessary; but in this particular case as the lands were reserved as military camping ground there would be no objections to the transfer and perhaps Mr. Humayun thought that there was no need for all the formalities.

Also the original settlement registry is I think not uniform in the villages where there are camping grounds. In some the land is registered as Poramboke and in the remarks col. "Military camping ground" is noted.

If Mr. H's order requires revision I shall revise it.

Pursuant to Mr. Humayun's orders these lands are now noted as M. C. Grd. Por. I have not ordered any change of classification - only the entries are being changed as ordered in B.P. No. 2855 Mis. d/ 13-10-38.

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I am sure the point raised by M , did not strike Mr. Humayun, when he ordered the word " Por " to be added to " M.C. Ground" and it did not strike me either.

(Id) M.V.V.

27-11-38.

This matter is an important one and should be done in the correct way. It is notorious that deciding whether a land noted in the village accounts as camping ground belongs to the Government of India or the Local Government gives a lot of work or has done so in the past. It should therefore

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be done accurately. Moreover not providing the n.D.O with a record of the order prevents him as answering Q 1 of the Jamabandi check memo properly and cases may escape. Please tell Collr. to have it done systematically by the n.D.Os and to get completion reports from each.

(Id) F.W.S. 28-11-38.

To AS(LR)

AS(L.R)
4/1/39

With ref to the orders of MI extracted above & marked 'A' draft subd.

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AS(LR)

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To AS(L.R)

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